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SUBJECT: PRC HARVEST

A REPRESENTATIVE OF A MAJOR LOCAL TRADE FIRM MET LAST WEEK
IN PEKING WITH A HIGH LEVEL OFFICIAL FROM THE CHINESE MINISTRY
OF AGRICULTURE. ACCORDING TO THE CHINESE OFFICIAL, THE REPORTS
OF DROUGHT IN NORTH CHINA WERE EXAGGERATED, WEATHER CONDITIONS
IMPROVED IN THE REGION, AND A NORMAL CROP OF WHEAT IS EXPECTED.
MUCH OF THE EARLY RICE CROP ACREAGE IN SOUTH CHINA HAD TO BE
PLOWED UP AND REPLANTED BECAUSE THE UNUSUALLY COOL, DAMP,
OVERCAST SPRING WEATHER CAUSED MANY OF THE RICE SEEDLINGS TO ROT.
HOWEVER, RE-TRANSPLANTING WAS COMPLETED IN GOOD TIME AND THE WEATHER
HAS IMPROVED AND THE OUTLOOK NOW APPEARS FAVORABLE FOR A NORMAL
HARVEST OF EARLY RICE.
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